

HOUSE BILL 621

By Turner M

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,
Chapter 6 and Title 41, relative to prisoners.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 6, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 4-6-1___. No out-of-state prisoners shall be accepted by the commissioner of correction for housing in any state penitentiary.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 41, Chapter 24, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 41-24-1___. On and after the effective date of this act, no prison contractor shall be permitted to accept any out-of-state prisoner for housing in a correctional facility operated by the prison contractor.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.